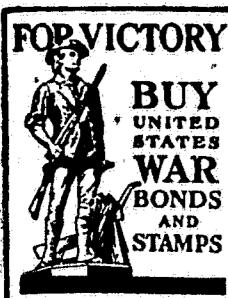


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GOULD GRADUATION WEEK END ACTIVITIES

The activities of Gould Academy's Commencement Weekend began with Class Day exercises on Saturday afternoon, June 12. The annual Senior Reception was held in the William Bingham Gymnasium on Saturday evening.

On Sunday, June 13, the Baccalaureate Services were held in the Congregational Church, with the Rev. Percy Vernon of the United Baptist Church of Lewiston delivering the address to the graduates.

At the Commencement Concert Sunday evening the Academy presented in its annual Commencement Concert, Miss Marlan Burroughs, violinist, and Miss Margaret Kurkjian, pianist, in a delightful and varied program of music.

Miss Burroughs is an artist of distinction both in tone and style. Possessed of a fine technique, she interpreted equally well the more dramatic numbers such as Block's "Nigun" and the gay, irresistible "Hora Staccato" by Dinicu. The highlight of the evening was her fine rendition of Tschaikowsky's "Concerto in D Major."

Miss Kurkjian proved an able and sympathetic accompanist as well as a most pleasing soloist. It is hoped that these two fine musicians may be heard again during the coming year. Many of the students and guests expressed appreciation of the opportunity of enjoying this outstanding concert which was made possible through the generosity of the trustees of the Academy.

The following awards were made at the Commencement Exercises on Monday morning, June 14:

The Scholarship Cup, given each year to the class maintaining the highest average rank, was awarded to the Class of 1943. The student obtaining the highest average rank, a period of time of over two years, receives the honor of having his initials engraved on the scholarship shield. This honor goes to Louisa M. Bacon of Naples.

The girls receiving the Athletic Medal, the highest award that a girl can receive in athletics, were Ida Lee Clough, Nora Chipman, Mary Dorion, Alice Bennett, Carolyn Wight, Ivy Philbrook, Doris Gallant, Vera Leighton, and Barbara Poole. A special certificate was awarded to Marion Chapman.

To the boy and girl in each class maintaining the highest average rank throughout the year is awarded a scholarship medal. These medals were won by Seniors: Louisa Bacon and Glenlon McAlister.

Juniors: Anna Aldrich and James Reid. Sophomores: Priscilla Caver and Robert Foster Freshmen: Patricia Cooley and Donald Brooks.

By vote of the faculty a boy and girl from each class chosen as showing himself an outstanding citizen. Citizenship Medals were awarded to the Senior boy and girl, Lincoln Colby and Carolyn Wight, and honorable mention was given to the undergraders: Juniors, Francis Gilman and May Lou Hamilton. Sophomore: Ruth.

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OFFICERS AND CORPORATORS OF BETHEL SAVINGS BANK

List of Officers and Corporators elected at annual meeting of Bethel Savings Bank, Bethel, Maine, June 9, 1943.

Officers: D. G. Brooks, President; F. E. Bean, Vice-President; Treasurer.

Trustees: F. E. Bean, H. E. Jennings, H. E. Jordan, D. G. Brooks, H. I. Bean, E. C. Allen, H. C. Abbott.

Corporators: F. A. Brooks, F. G. Bean, D. G. Brooks, E. C. Allen, H. C. Abbott, H. I. Bean, E. C. Abbott, A. E. Heaton, F. E. Brooks, R. R. Tibbetts, F. L. Thurston, W. H. T. Davis, G. S. Wilton, Van Den Kerkhoven, P. P. C. E. Valentine, C. W. H. Butt, W. E. Bassett, W. H. Tibbetts, D. H. Tibbetts, W. H. Butt, G. N. Thompson.

Agent: Fred F. Bean.

COMMERCIAL OPERATORS MUST "STRETCH" THEIR GAS

Operators of Commercial vehicles including busses, taxis, and farm trucks, should make provision to "stretch" their current second quarter gasoline rations over an additional 25 days, since their renewals of "TT" coupons will not become effective in general until July 26, A. E. Smith, District OPA mileage rationing officer announced today.

Mr. Smith stated that no supplemental rations of gasoline may be issued to operators of these commercial vehicles to "tide" them over the period from July 1 to July 26. Therefore, he urged these operators to use every means possible to make their present gasoline rations last until July 26.

Coupons with the single "T" will be valid up to and including July 25 for these drivers, Mr. Smith said.

Since the third quarter rations cover a period less than a full quarter it will be necessary for ODT to review and reduce its allowances which were formerly based on a full quarter. In addition, ODT will carry all or part of the cut made May 23-July 25 into the third quarter rations which it certifies, Mr. Smith announced.

CHRETIEN—BROOKS

Miss Violet Brooks became the bride of Pvt. Donald Chretien at a quiet wedding at the home of the bride's parents Wednesday evening, June 16. Rev. M. A. Gordon officiated, using the double ring service.

Mrs. Chretien is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brooks and was a member of this year's graduating class from Gould Academy. Pvt. Chretien is the son of late Luc Chretien and Mrs. Chretien of Livermore Falls. He will return to Camp Davis, N. C., soon.

BETHEL LOCAL NEWS

Dr. E. L. Brown is recovering from pneumonia.

Miss Margaret Lundy left today for her home in Ohio.

Miss Eunice Greenleaf of Stark is the guest of Miss Arlene Greenleaf.

Mrs. Frances Cook is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. E. Peterson, at Standish.

Stanley Merrill went to Oakland Tuesday, where he has employment.

Miss Nita Tyler of Norway was the week end guest of Miss Lillian Coburn.

Miss Virginia Chapman of Augusta spent the week end at her home in town.

L. Sidney Dyke and friend of Bangor were at Lt. Dyke's home here Saturday and Sunday.

Gilbert LeClair and Albert Buel left this morning for Portland, where they have employment.

Mrs. Sadie Chase and Mrs. Addie Mason were guests of Mrs. Carl Marsden in Portland Saturday.

Mrs. Frederick Scribner and son of Dixfield were recent guests of her mother, Mrs. Gladys Bean.

Mrs. Winnifred Bartlett is spending a few days at her home and visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Bertram Packard and Miss Lucia Packard of Augusta were in town for the Commencement weekend.

Eugene Van Den Kerkhoven nevered the thumb of his left hand while splitting wood Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Foster and son Paul left today for Penobscot where they will spend two weeks.

Mrs. Alma LuFayette of Greenleaf Mountain is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerard William spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Wilton, making the trip by car.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Greenleaf of Madison were guests over the weekend of Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Nichols.

Mr. Gilbert Brown and children, Marion and Marlene of Kennebunk, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Larcom. Gilbert is spending the summer with his grandmother.

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LAST WEEK IN THE WAR

The surrender of Pantelleria, after 20 days of intense bombardment, was announced in a special communiqué from General Eisenhower's headquarters. The announcement came suddenly, less than an hour after the day's regular operational communiqué had merely reported continued heavy attacks on the island throughout yesterday and the previous night.

Surrender of Pantelleria gives the Allies an airdrome and naval base only 60 miles southwest Sicily. The encirclement of Lampedusa, second largest of the stepping-stone islands in the Sicilian narrows, would give the Allies another valuable base, just 90 miles southeast of Pantelleria and 110 miles west of Malta. (British naval forces landed a reconnaissance party on Lampedusa on June 6, and all but two of the party returned safely.)

Forced by Air Power

The communiqué reporting the surrender of Pantelleria said the surrender was the result of a period of continuous and intense air bombardment, supported by naval bombardment.

It was an unprecedented capitulation; brought about almost solely by air power. The British Navy shelled the island six times, but the greater part of the attack was carried on by American and RAF planes of all types—wave after wave of bombers heaping fire and destruction on the smoking ruins of previous bombings. In the last phase of the onslaught, the island was under constant, unremitting attack, and 37 Axis planes were knocked down in the final air battle.

Allied pamphlets dropped on Pantelleria Tuesday (June 8) warned that the island would be bombed, shelled and blockaded until it surrendered. When the Italian garrison made no reply, Allied planes inflicted on the island the severest kind of aerial and naval bombardment. Secretary of War, Stimson announced that the Axis rejection of the chance to surrender meant the bombing would continue.

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The grand jury, in charge of County Attorney Theodore Gonyea, went into session at once and on Wednesday afternoon returned 17 indictments, two of which were secret. Those made public were:

Elwood H. Blaisdell, Rumford, breaking, entering and larceny, three indictments; Elwood H. Hebron, larceny; John W. Deegan,

Paris, driving under influence of liquor; Norman J. Boucher, Samuel J. Perry, John J. Doucette Jr., all of Rumford, breaking, entering and larceny; Norman J. Boucher, Samuel J. Perry, breaking and entering with intent, and breaking, entering and larceny; Norman J. Boucher, Jeffrey Theriault, both of Rumford, breaking, entering and larceny; Norman J. Boucher, Sam

uel J. Perry, burglary and breaking, entering and larceny; John R. Gendrolis and Leo J. Bolduc assault with intent to kill, four indictments; John R. Gendrolis and Leo Bolduc, breaking, entering and larceny, two indictments; Leo J. Bolduc, assault with intent to kill,

Naturalizations.

Citizenship was granted to Augusta Anna McDonald, Rumford, Matilda Emeline King, Woodstock, Joseph Girard, Benjamin Braut, Andover, Joseph Peter Zenoni, Norway, George Hartley McPherson, Rumford, Marq Arsonault, Rumford, John Dominic Gaudet, Mexico, Rosario Punti, Rumford, Marie Josephine Breton, Rumford, Antonio Rosina Bucella, Hillville; Thelma Marie Ahn, Norway; Antonio Umbro Rumford

scale amphibious operations.

Secretary of War Stimson, emphasizing that American air forces are striking with increasing vigor and effectiveness on widely scattered world fronts, said that while American and British planes continue to hammer the Mediterranean islands of Sicily and Sardinia as well as the Italian mainland, the weather in Britain has interfered with bombing raids in recent days.

Over Europe a quiet provided the longest interruption in the major air offensive against Germany since the 24-mile line that crossed the Alpine Mountains in

North Africa.

Major Gen. Ira C. Eaker, head of the American air force in the Mediterranean theater and the USAAC's Brooks, has succeeded Gen. Macmillan as head of the air arm of the Mediterranean Allied Air Forces. Major Gen. Ira C. Eaker succeeds Gen. Macmillan, who has been promoted to four-star rank.

Gen. Macmillan, who has been serving as commanding general of the USAAC's European Air Forces, has been succeeded by Gen. Ira C. Eaker, who has been promoted to four-star rank.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

A Non-Partisan Editorial Review of the Events of Each Week, Illustrated

Chemurgy Provides Broad Uses for Farm Crops; Great Need for Building; Aviation Expansion Foreseen

By A. F. JEDLICKA

While the war rages and war production takes up the interest of the country, there doesn't seem to be time for anything else.

But as unsuspected as it might be, there is a great amount of study being made about solutions to the vast problems that will arise after the peace has been won.

Millions of soldiers and sailors will be returning from the far flung fronts; munitions and armament no longer will be needed in mass quantities, and millions of workers will have to be switched back to normal industry; and, pending the final disposition of lease, and full development of our own domestic market, the huge production program of the farmer will have its complications.

With all these things bound to come up, it is obvious that any studies leading toward the formulation of plans to solve these problems, will be of service in averting any hardships and confusion that might grow from them. Memories of the economic disorganization that followed the last war, both in the cities and on the farms, still are live enough as the department of agriculture, the U. S. Chamber of Commerce and the National Foreign Trade council.

New discoveries and methods developed from war production; the tremendous demand for all kinds of consumers' goods upon which manufacture has been stopped, and the new crops and many uses for old staples that have been found—all of these things are on the asset side for a promising post-war prosperity.

Surely, we will suffer from no lack of labor; in fact, profitable employment of all of our labor will be the big problem. From present indications, we will be the most fortunate of all the nations of the world, since most of our factories and equipment will emerge unscathed from the war. No matter what kind of a monetary system we adopt, our credit facilities should be limited by a need for money, and not by any scarcity of it.

As the president of the United States Chamber of Commerce so optimistically declared, we are facing new horizons, in which the guarantee of economic as well as political freedom will open vast productive fields.

Chemurgy Should Aid Farmer.
Of all, the farmer stands to profit the most after the war as a result of the advancement of science. Chemurgy is the new miracle which has taken the old crops apart to discover their essential substance, and then applied the specific properties to the manufacture of many items.

Chemurgy has been active in developing plastics. According to a survey, a composite 1942 automobile has more than 125 plastic parts, and airplanes have anywhere from scores to hundreds of plastic applications.

Plastics on the automobile include upholstery buttons, steering wheels,

accelerator pedals and interlayers of laminated safety glass. Plastics in the airplane range from grease and oil resistant tubing to handles, knobs, sight gauges, lenses and radio antennae.

Besides chemurgy uses which have been found for the old crops, the scientist has gone into the fields to find useful properties in such former waste growth as cattails, milkweed and dandelions. These amazing discoveries have opened possi-

the steel that was being produced, it was necessary to revert to the use of wood in constructing many new factories, etc.

Because the wood had to meet specifications in strength and safety, lumbermen developed processes for treating the timber against loads, decay and fire. As a result, wood is expected to be used in increasing quantities in ordinary building.

Besides the tremendous demand expected for private construction

If we are to consider the opinion of many aviation executives themselves, the airplane will play a prominent, but hardly a predominating role after the war. Costs of shipping freight by both train and boat still will remain much cheaper than air rates, and as a result the plane may be used on an increasing scale, but for special purposes. It should carry most of the mail.

It is in the field of transportation that the airplane promises to enjoy its greatest expansion. Already, there has been substantial talk about the creation of branch lines to hook up with main trunks, thus establishing direct connections with all points.

Larger, more comfortable and faster planes should come out of the busy research laboratories now concentrating on production of the best bombing, transport and cargo airships in the world.

All told, more than 137 important government and private agencies are engaged in post-war economic studies. This number does not include many state and local groups.

Of this number, more than a third are devoting major attention to problems involving international relations. Business and finance next command the most interest. Other major fields of study include agriculture, consumer and security problems, education, engineering, labor and housing.

Approximately 109 of these groups are private and 28 are public, most of the latter being agencies of the federal government. Chief among these are the departments of agriculture and commerce.

The powerful Chamber of Commerce of the United States has been looking into post-war possibilities for live markets for mass production merchandise. The National Foreign Trade council has been concerned with dealing with overseas customers whose national finances will be solvent. The reserve city bankers and Federal Reserve system are studying our own credit needs and facilities.

So much for the U.S.A. Looking around us, we see numerous changes in the world, many of which are bound to have their economic effects after the war.

South America Prospers.

As an example, we need not go any further than South America. First of all, many of our good neighbors to the south are accumulating large amounts of dollar exchange, that is, American money, which will be spent or invested here or abroad when conditions permit.

Further, many of these countries have substantially reduced their debt to foreign countries.

They have established industries which have lessened their dependence on Europe for manufactured goods. They also have taken up the cultivation of crops formerly secured in other tropical areas in Asia and Africa, and might be expected to hold these markets in the event of unfavorable political developments abroad, or more scientific, and cheaper, production.

The position of Canada has been strengthened by a reduction in her private foreign debt, and a great expansion in her industry. Some countries hold huge gold balances here and might be expected to spend them for goods or machinery in rebuilding their shattered industries.

On the other hand, certain countries have depleted their balances.

Pollination Still Is Bees' Biggest Job

The greatest contribution of honey bees to our wartime production is still in pollination of agricultural crops for production of seed and fruit, though the importance of both honey and beeswax has also increased.

Domestic honeybees pollinate most fruits, as the wild insects are seldom numerous enough to accomplish this early spring job. In areas where most of the land is cultivated, wild insects have few places left for nesting and breeding, and the pollination of most other crop plants also depends on the domestic bees.

With the present urgent need for greater production of legume and other seeds, honey bees may have to be brought into the seed producing areas for assurance of good materials.

The lack of the usual imports makes beeswax of greater importance to the war effort today than the honey and thus makes the bee one of the foremost workers on the home front.

THE STORY SO FAR:
their part in the battle of planes is being told by four naval officers who are all Motor Torpedo Boat Squads. Lieut. John Bulkeley, Lieutenant Commander, squad leader, R. B. Kelly, second and Ensigns Anthony Akers and E. Cox Jr. After learning Harbor had been bombed, Kelly ordered Lieut. Kelly to the site to torpedo boats to they would get provisions a submarine tender. But arrived, they found that the been ordered away. So headquarters in Sisman

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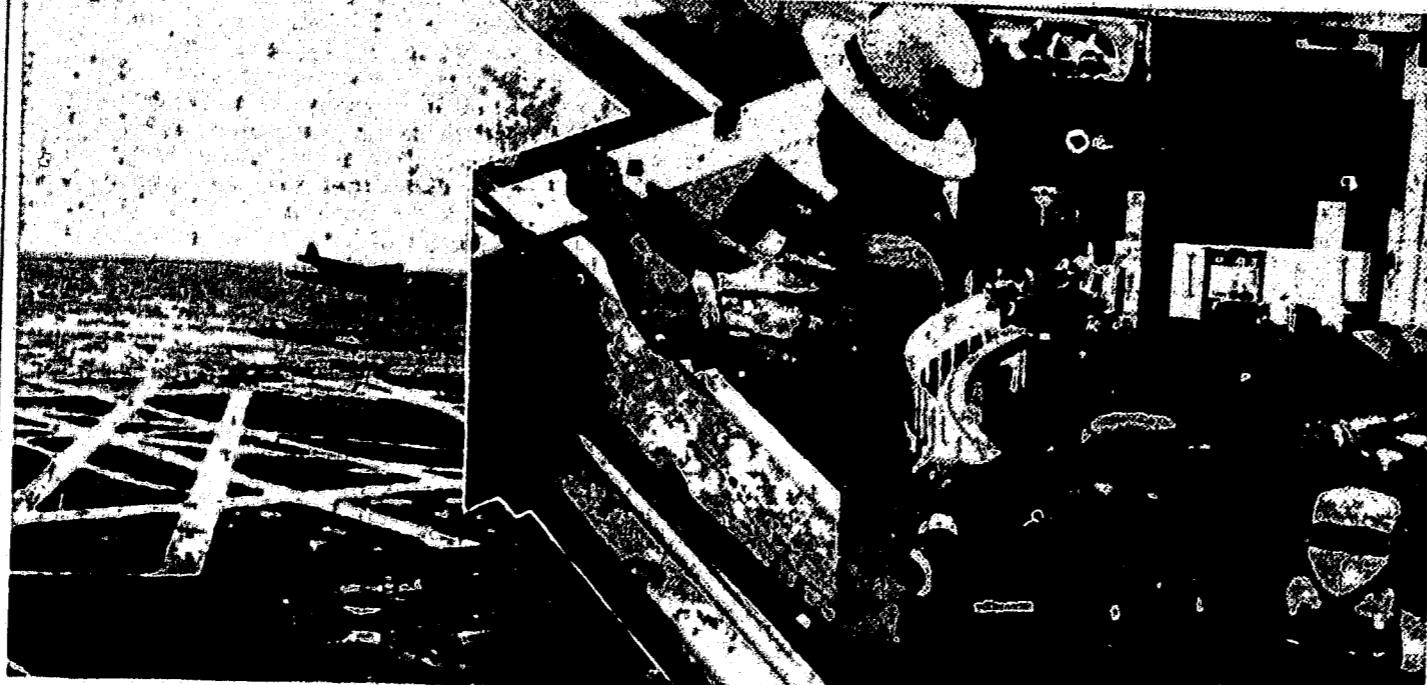
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The World of Tomorrow—Action in the Air, in Construction and in Industry



bilities for putting formerly unproductive submarginal lands to good work.

The loss of many of our former sources of supply for medicinal crops, vegetable oils and fibers has stimulated their cultivation in this country, where, indeed, they grew successfully many years ago before being produced in Asia at much less cost.

Continuation of the growth here of belladonna, castor beans and hemp, for instance, is a question which eventually will fall completely within the political realm.

Expect Building Boom.

Next to agriculture, building holds the greatest immediate promise. In fact, much of our post-war planning seems to be revolving around the construction industry. As part of it, the timber trade figures prominently on new mass-production processes for fabricating sections of buildings and shipping them to a site for assembly.

It has been estimated that the United States needs 900,000 new buildings every year—300,000 for new families, and the rest to replace old structures.

Considering the fact that practically all residential building has been stopped by the war, the construction industry will be faced with a gigantic job of meeting the accumulated demands when peace comes.

Because of circumstances arising from the war, the timber industry has received an important push that will stand it in good stead later. Since most shipyards, arms and munitions factories demanded all of

after the war, it is reported that the government has been studying plans for an extensive public works building program. Such a program, as old as Caesar, would take up any slack in employment, particularly in the passage from a war to a peace economy.

In connection with the anticipated post-war building activity, the American Institute of Architects, the American Planning and Civic Association and the Conference Committee on Urban Problems have been particularly concerned with the reconstruction of many of the rundown districts of the big cities. Within recent years, many private corporations have been seeking charters from legislatures for rights to revitalize many slum areas with huge housing projects.

May Expand Air Travel.

Of course, the tremendous expansion of aviation, because of the war, has led to the popular belief that the impetus it is receiving now will carry it into the post-war period as the biggest industrial development,

How Explosives Explode

High explosives are termed "Chemical Malcontents" by a National Geographic society bulletin. Normally gases, but tricked into solid or liquid forms, they are "hornetsilk" to become gases again. A strong, sudden jolt gives them their chance. At the same instant every one of the particles of explosive detonates—bounces into the gaseous form.

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Apiculturists of the nation produce about 200 million pounds of honey each year, together with about four million pounds of beeswax, says Prof. E. J. Dyce of the New York State college of agriculture. The honey is an excellent substitute for sugar. The beeswax is used in manufacture of several essential war materials.

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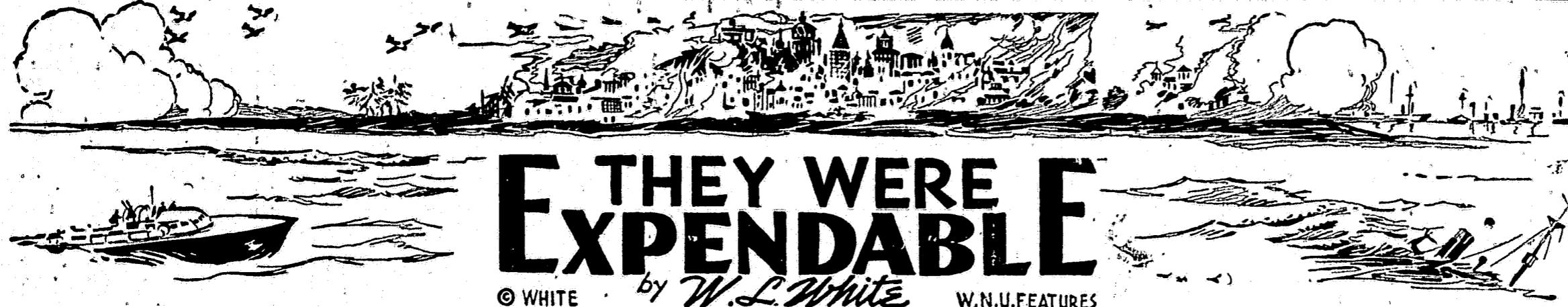
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W.N.U.FEATURES

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CHAPTER II

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"Next, we found our barges loaded with gasoline in drums which had been towed out into the bay for us by the navy—if they got smacked by bombs, they didn't want them burning near the wharves. There was nobody in charge but a watchman. Each boat holds two thousand gallons, and of course it was a job pouring all that through a funnel. But in addition, it was dangerous, because our motors have to have 100 octane gasoline—airplane grade—and that volatile stuff is more ticklish than dynamite. A little bit of static can make a hell of an explosion, so usually the officers did the nasty jobs of fueling and cleaning gas tanks. No use to ask men to take risks when officers should lead."

"We noticed, as we poured, that this gas had both water and rust in it—yet there was no way to strain it out; we had no charms. What we couldn't then know was, this gas had been sabotaged. We'll never find out when or where—the guy who did it is safe, if he's alive. But someone had dissolved wax in it—wax which congealed inside our gas tanks in a coat half an inch thick—wax which clogged our filters so that sometimes we'd have to stop and clean them after an hour's run. That's the fuel we had to fight the war on, we were to find out."

"Then I went over to the section base to make arrangements for our food, and we got another bump. The navy already realized a food shortage was coming and cut us down to two rations a day—breakfast and supper. All you got for lunch was stomach cramps about noon. There was plenty of them."

"I also thought I'd better have the doctor look at my finger. I'd snagged it a few days before and hadn't paid much attention, but now it was swollen about as thick as a walnut. I guessed maybe it was a minor strep infection. What I didn't know was that out East the streptococci are bigger and meaner than bulldogs and not to be foiled with. He took one look and began to talk about the hospital, but I said the hell with that. I was the second officer of the squadron and badly needed. I couldn't stop the war for a sore finger. Then he said I ought to go over to Corregidor, where they had some sulfa drugs. But that was out, too, because momentarily we expected to be sent out on a mission. Bulkeley had put me in charge of the three boats, and I wouldn't leave."

"We settled that I'd come over to see this doctor daily, and soak it an hour or so in hot Epsom salts. The soaks, as it turned out, had to be cold because we didn't have the power for heating water, and al-

though I saw him about every day, it so happened that whenever I got there an air-raid alarm would go off and the doctor would have to dive for a fox hole. But it was the best we could do.

"The big alarm came at noon on December 10—we'd pulled up alongside a mine sweeper for water when word came that a large flight of Jap planes was headed toward the Manila area, coming from the direction of Formosa. We pulled away from the tender, out into open water, and fifteen minutes later we saw them—several formations—I counted about twenty-seven to twenty-nine planes in each—two-motor bombers—lovely, tight, paraderound formations, coming over at about 25,000 feet. But, I thought, when our fighters get up there and start rumpling their hair, those formations won't look so pretty. Only where were our fighters? The Japs passed on out of sight over the mountains, and then we began hearing the rumble of bombs—only first we felt the vibrations on our feet, even out there in the water, and we knew something was catching hell. But what? Manila? Maybe Nichols Field? Or even Cavite, our own base? We couldn't know."

"I did," said Bulkeley laconically. "I was there, at Cavite. The Admiral sent us a two-hour warning that they were coming—from Formosa, and headed on down in our direction across Northern Luzon. So we hauled our boats out into the bay. They kept beautiful formations, all right. The first big V had fifty-four planes in it, and they came in at about 20,000, with their fighters on up above to protect them from ours—only ours didn't show. We couldn't figure it. First they swung over Manila and began to paste the harbor shipping. It was a beautiful clear day, and I remember the sun made rainbows on the waterspouts of their bombs. They were from a hundred and fifty to two hundred feet high, and it made a mist screen so dense you could hardly tell what was happening to the ships. It turned out nothing much was—they only hit a few."

"But then that big beautiful V pivoted slowly and moved over Cavite—began circling it like a flock of well-disciplined buzzards.

"They were too high to see the bomb bay doors open, but we could see the stuff drop slowly, picking up speed; only as we watched we found we had troubles of our own. Because five little dive bombers peeled off that formation, one by one, and started straight down for us. When they were down to about fifteen hundred feet, they leveled off and began unloading. Of course we gave our boats full throttle and began circling and twisting, both to dodge the bombs and to get a shot at them. Our gunners loved it—it was their first crack at the Japs I remember Chalker's face; he's a machinist's mate from Texarkana—a shootin' Texas boy. He was pouring 50-caliber slugs up at them, cooler than a nail of cracked ice, but that long, straight, pointed jaw of his was set. Houlahan, who was firing the other pair of 50's, was the same. They'd picked out one plane and were pouring it up into the sky, when we saw the plane wobble, and pretty soon she took off down the bay, weaving unsteadily, smoking, and all at once, two or three miles away, she just wobbled down into the drink with a big splash. So we know the 35 boat got one. Meanwhile the 31 boat had shot down two more. After that the planes didn't bother strafing the MTB's. Guess the Jap pilots back at their Formosa base passed the word around."

"It certainly surprised our navy too, which had never guessed a torpedo boat could bring down an airplane. Later on I got a kidding message from Captain Ray, chief of staff:

"Dear Buck: I really think your gang is getting too tough. The latest report is that 'Three dive bombers were seen being chased over Mariveles Mountain by an MTB.' Don't you think this is carrying the a bit too far?"

"About 3:30 the Japs left, so we went on back to Cavite to see what had happened. They'd flattened it—there isn't any other word. Here was the only American naval base in the Orient beyond Pearl Harbor pounded into bloody rubbish. We didn't have time then to think about where our American planes could have been, because the place was a shambles, and we began loading in the wounded to take them to Canacao hospital.

"We went on back to Cavite and offered to carry more wounded. The

heads and arms and legs and putting them into the nearest bomb crater and shoveling debris over it. The smell was terrible. The Filipino yard workers didn't have much stomach for the job, but it had to be done and done quick because of disease. To make them work, they filled the Filipinos up with grain alcohol."

"That raid gave me my first big shock of the war," said Lieutenant Kelly, "but it wasn't the damage they did. From over in Mariveles I couldn't see what was happening after the Jap bombers disappeared over the mountain. I got my shock after they had unloaded and flew over us on their way home—the same beautiful tight formations—not a straggler. Where was our air force?

"From over towards Cavite we could now see that huge column of smoke rising into the sky as the Japs left the scene.

"It wasn't until Lieutenant DeLong dropped in at four o'clock in the 41 boat that I knew how bad off we were. He said the Cavite base was a roaring blast furnace—the yard littered with those mangled and scorched bodies—and furthermore that all our spare parts for the MTB's—engines and everything—had been blasted to bits. Machine shops completely gone. Not so much as a gasket left to see us through this war, with the factory halfway around the world.

"Also he said the Cavite radio had been hit. That still left the short-wave voice stuff to talk with Manila or Bataan or the Rock, but of course this couldn't be secret from the Japs, so they would be depending on our six boats for courier duty to relay all confidential stuff."

"So I wasn't surprised," said Bulkeley, "when early the next morning I got a hurry call to report to the Admiral in Manila. As our 34 boat cleared the mine fields around Bataan, looking over toward Manila I saw something very queer—shipping of all descriptions was pouring out of that Manila breakwater into the open harbor—destroyers, mine sweepers, Yangtze River gunboats, tramp steamers, all going hell for breakfast. And then I saw them—a big formation of about twenty-seven bombers. By then I was beginning to learn that if we saw planes in the air, they would be Japs, not ours. Then came another formation of twenty-nine, and still another of twenty-six.

"If they were after shipping, we shouldn't get too close to the other boats, so I changed course. They wheeled majestically around the bay's perimeter, and each time they passed Manila a load would go whizzing down and presently huge columns of black and white smoke began rising—we could even see some fires, although we were still eleven miles away.

"Where in hell is our air force? our crew kept asking me. Why in Christ's name don't they do something?"

"But the thing that really got me was that these big Jap formations, circling the bay like it was a parade maneuver, each time would sail impossibly right over Corregidor! Didn't they know we had anti-aircraft guns?"

"They knew all right, but it turned out they knew something I didn't. For presently all twenty of Corregidor's 3-inchers opened fire, and it made me sick to see that every one of their shells was bursting from 5,000 to 10,000 feet below that Jap formation. Those pilots were as safe as though they'd been home in bed. Later I found out what the Japs apparently already knew—that the Rock's anti-aircraft guns didn't have the range. And only then did it be-

gin to dawn on me how completely impotent we were.

"When the Japs cleared out," continued Bulkeley, "Kelly and I headed for Manila and docked about three o'clock. When we reported, Commander Slocum told me the Admiral was considering sending our three boats on a raid off Lingayen, and were we ready? We said we were 'arin' to go. So he said to stick around a couple of hours, and meanwhile to load the boats with files, records, and so forth, because they were moving headquarters. It had escaped so far, but right here on the water front it was too vulnerable—sure to get smacked. Through the open door we could see the Admiral conferring with his chief of staff.

"But just then," said Kelly, "Commander Slocum looked down at my arm, which was in a sling, frowned, and said I should get over to see the fleet doctor. The doctor took off the bandage and began to talk tough. Said he couldn't do anything, and that I was to get that arm to a hospital as fast as I could.

"I was dead set on that raid, but I decided it wouldn't be tactful to bring that up, so I said, 'Aye, aye, sir,' and skipped it. We loaded the boat with records, and then went back to headquarters, where we were told that the Jap convoy off Lingayen included eight transports and at least two battleships (one of these must have been the one that Colin Kelly later got), but that we weren't going to be sent. They were saving us for 'bigger things.'

"My God!" my junior officer said later, "I didn't know they came any bigger! What do they think we are?"

"Anyway the Admiral patted Bulkeley on the shoulder and said,

"We know you boys want to get in there and fight, but there's no sense sending you on suicidal missions—just now."

"So that was that, and we went on out across the bay, to our thatched village.

"You might call the next few days quiet for us, although my arm began giving me hell."

"Presently Bulkeley dropped in on us in the 41 boat, bringing us some stuff issued by the navy to replace everything we'd lost at our quarters in Cavite—a shirt each, underdrawers, a few tubes of toothpaste, and razors—two for each boat, one for the men and one for the officers. But with each razor there were only three packages of blades, so we saw beards in the offing.

"Bulkeley had heard about my hand from a pharmacist's mate and asked me if I could stick it for two more days until he could relieve me. He himself had to be on call for consultation with the Admiral, while they needed DeLong and his boat for courier duty. I said 'sure.'

"But the next few days were hell. The whole arm began swelling, and my hand was the size of a catcher's mitt. The nights were worse because I couldn't lie down for any length of time. Also I had to keep my arm held up, or blood running down into it would drive me nuts, and it stiffened that way. The doctor at Mariveles kept offering me morphine, but I didn't dare. There might be an emergency where we'd have to get the boats out to sea quickly. Bulkeley had left me in charge, and morphine might make me sleep so hard I couldn't awaken for an air-raid alarm. The worst thing was the flies—they kept buzzing around trying to get into that open incision in my finger as I held my hand up in the air. And also I was running a little fever—about four degrees."

(TO BE CONTINUED)



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**THE LOW DOWN
FROM HICKORY GROVE**

You know, things can kinda slip
up on you unbeknownst to you,
and the first thing you know you
get some neuritis in your elbow.
And if you look back and scratch
your dome you will maybe recall
a session with a bad molar that
you neglected. That is the reason
your rheumatism or whatever it
is, was able to sneak up on you.

"Alright," says Henry, "if you are
trying to work up to something,
what is it?" It is the way, I say,
we are neglecting our thinking and
letting somebody else do it for us
—while we tune in and just listen.

We would need ears big as a
palm leaf to hear everything so
maybe you did not hear the latest
advice just given the farmers, telling
them that for best results, a
cow, in the summertime, should
have plenty of green grass and
cool water. Yep—that is what the
dispatch said. Imagine the farmers
and their wives, and how excited
they must be, getting this news.
Grass and water for a cow—it is
wonderful news.

If we keep on listening and doing
nothing about it, the kind of Govt
slipping up on us is gonna make
our arthritics look like two-tits.

Yours with the low down,

JO SIERRA

**FORMER CLUB AGENT SENDS
MESSAGE TO 4-H MEMBERS**

Eddie Potter, former club agent
in Oxford County and now serving
in the U. S. Army, writes the following
message to 4-H club members and friends:

4-H-ers and Friends:

Just a few lines to let you know
that I am still thinking of the
many friends in Oxford County
who I have worked with and met
while being the county club agent.
Many times while at camp, when
having a chance to think of things
other than army duties, I have
wondered how club work was progressing.
Knowing how we all feel
regarding the world situation,
I know that everyone is doing his or
her part towards hastening the
date of victory and world peace.

After departing from Oxford
County last fall, I have been able
to see what it is like in other parts
of the country. It was quite surprising
to see how boys and girls in other states react towards the
food production and conservation
program. They all seem to be doing
a "whole of a job," just as Oxford
County boys and girls are doing.

We have often heard of the expression
"an army marches on its stomach". It's very true and it
takes a lot of food, food which has
been produced by club members,
former club members, and farmers.
Let us all keep up the good work
and strive just a little harder each
day towards the end with victory
and everlasting world peace.

Sincerely, Eddie Potter

SUMMER

Laura Bennett and Rachel Brown
Summer is the time for play;
As we do most every day
Jump and run and skip and hop,
And climb the mountain to the top.

On a lake we hire a camp,
Go swimming daily whether sun-
ny or damp,

We go boating till sunna down
And on our backs get a lovely
brown.

But you know it isn't all play,
For we have work to do each day.
Our victory garden needs weeding
too.

And feed the chickens. "Yes we
do."

In September back we go,
To see how much we know.
We like our teacher and classmate
all.

But we like June much better than
fall.

GOULD GRADUATION
—continued from page 1
ard Bryant and Priscilla Carver,
Freshmen; Lawrence Littlehale
and Ann Terriberry.

The honor of having names engraved
on a special Scholarship
Shield for having received an average
of 90 per cent or better in
all courses goes to: Louisa Bacon, Rachel
Gordon, Glendon McAlister, Carolyn
Wight, Ida Lee Clough, Constance
Sawyer, Mary John, Ilene Goodrich,
and Lincoln Colby.

The following seniors were elected
to the National Honor Society.
These students were elected on
the basis of scholarship, service,
leadership, and character of a high
degree. Louisa Bacon, Rachel Gordon,
Glendon McAlister, Carolyn Wight,
Ida Lee Clough, Constance Sawyer,
Mary John, Ilene Goodrich, and Lincoln Colby.

The Becker College award for
all-around ability in the Commercial
Department was awarded Rachel Gordon.

By vote of the faculty the following
Seniors were awarded medals
for outstanding work in Dramatics,
Activities and Athletics: Dramatics:
Norman Jacobs and Betty Durgn.
Activities: Lincoln Colby and Carolyn Wight.
Athletics: William Wright and Nora
Chipman.

Music Awards were won by Elizabeth
Wight, Barbara Graves, Carolyn
Wight, Ida Lee Clough, Robert
Greenleaf and Malcolm Brown
for membership in at least two
musical organizations for each of
their years at Gould, and contributing
to the life of the school by individual
and small group performances.

The program follows:

Processional, War March of the
Priests, Mendelssohn, Orchestra
The Star Spangled Banner
Invocation, Rev. M. A. Gordon

Assembly
Salutatory, Freedom from Fear,
Rachel Gordon

Selection, In a Persian Market,
Ketelyan, Orchestra

First Honor Essay, Freedom of
Speech, Carolyn Wight

Selection, Soldiers' Chorus from
"Faust," Gounod, Boys Glee Club

Second Honor Essay, Freedom of
Religion, Marion Waterhouse

Selections, Morning Song, Mus-
senet, Sing! Sing! Sing! Sacco,
Girls' Glee Club

Valedictory, Freedom from Want,
Louisa Bacon

Selections, Ride Out on Wings
of Song, Berwald, March on,
America, Elliott

Varsity Glee Club

Remarks and Awarding of Hon-
ors and Diplomas, Elwood F. Ireland, Headmaster

Benediction, Rev. Herbert T. Wallace

Recessional, Orchestra

(Glendon McAlister won third
honors but was not able to prepare
his part as he has been enrolled in
Boston University since mid-
years.)

The Gould Academy Alumni Diner
was held at Gehring Hall at 1 p. m. The following program was
presented:

Welcome to Class of 1943,

President William Hastings'

Response, Glendon McAlister,
President, Class of 1943

Vocal solo, "My Heart is a Silent
Violin," Night Wind,"

Miss Irene Goodekin

Report of Officers and business
meeting

Musical trio, "Serenade," "Rose
Marie" Muses, Barbara Graves

Betty Jebin, Elizabeth Wight

Greetings from Five Year Classes

The officers for the next year

were elected as follows: President,
Mrs. Laurence Lerd; Vice-President,
Elmer Bennett; Secretary, Miss Kathryn Davis; Treasurer,
Miss Carrie Wight; Nominating
Committee: Franklin Chapman

Mrs. Ordell Anderson, Mrs. Wil-

liam Chapman, Floyd Mason, Miss
Barbara Luxton, Carl Brown, Mr.

Charles Gorman, Service Honor
Shield Committee: Edward Han-

com, Miss Carrie Wight, Mrs. Ordell

Anderson.

On Saturday, June 20, at 1:30 p.

m., Mrs. Ethel Walsh, Home Demon-
stration Agent, and Mrs. Irene

Chapman, Assistant Agent, will

conduct a meeting on Food Preser-
vation at K of P Hall. The talk

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hold washing-machine would make

a .30 caliber machine gun and

tripod.



LEE SWAN TELLS OF ARMY
LIFE AT NASHVILLE

This letter recently received by
Albert Swan of Locke Mills from
his son, Lee, gives a picture of
some of the events leading to an
army pilot's training and will be
especially interesting to his
friends.

Nashville, Tenn.,
Thu., June 10. P. M.

Dear Dad—

Got your letter today so guess I'll
write back now. I haven't written
much since I have been here because
it has been too hot and also I
wanted to tell you about classifi-
cation. I just found out this
afternoon that I am classified for
Pilot training. Guess that's the best
news I've had since I've been in
the Army.

We had four days of examinations
and they were really hard. The
first day was a written mental
exam for one whole day. There
were problems in math, physics,
history, navigation and everything
else.

The second day was a test of a
lot of different machines that test
your alertness and coordination.

The third day was a preliminary
physical of blood test and an X-
ray and also an interview with an
officer who asked all questions you
could imagine. He asked where
the Island "Attu" was, why I wanted
to fly, what my parents thought
of me flying and also a lot of other
questions. This officer was a psy-
chiatrist or something like that
and by the interview he was sup-
posed to be able to tell something
of your character and whether (by
your answers and actions) you
would make a good officer and
so on or not.

The last day was a complete and
very careful physical exam. They
had about six different eye exam-
inations. I didn't pass the first
color test but had a recheck and
passed alright. I was really wor-
ried for a while but I made out
all right. I'll probabaly go tomor-
row and get my clothes changed
and get cadet issue. Will get some
more underclothes, more shirts
and pants, more socks, etc.

I'll get my picture taken and send it
if I can and if I can afford it.

I had one day of K. P. and one
day of guard. Think the guard is

a little better although K. P. is
about 14 hours and guard is 24 hr.

You have 2 hrs. on and 4 hrs. off

I had a good shady post and about

the coolest time on. Started at 6
P. M. ... Don't know when I'll

be either of them again but soon

probably. Our first open post is

supposed to be tomorrow night

from 6:30 until 11. Perhaps I'll be

able to see a little of Nashville

anyway (I hope).

I am going to get my teeth all
fixed up here. Started today by
having one out. The jaw aches
some now but it isn't too bad.

Guess there isn't too much more

news and I don't like to write be-
cause the weather is too hot. When

it rains down here though it really
rains. I never saw it rain so

hard and the soil is like clay and

all the water stays on top and in

about 10 minutes you have about

2 feet of water running down the

ditches.

The work here isn't too hard and

UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Correspondent

Rev. and Mrs. Norman Scruton
and family have moved from Errol,
N. H., for the summer. They

are living in Oscar Judkins' house.
Mrs. Bertha Judkins is visiting
relatives in Norway.

Miss Doris Coolidge, a high
school teacher in Millinocket, is
making a short visit with her mother,
Mrs. Annie Coolidge. They

visited relatives in Berlin and
Errol over the week end.

Mrs. William Barnett attended
the graduation of her niece, Miss
Bessie Casey, from Stephens High
School, Rumford, last week. Bessie

returned to Upton with her for
the summer.

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LOCKE MILLS**Mrs. Mary Mills, Correspondent**

School closed Friday and grammar school exercises were held at the town hall Friday evening. Those graduating were: Erwin Hayes, Ruth and Wallace Morgan, Richard Gregg, Irving Cole, Lelia Swan, Carol Swan, Elizabeth Cole, Joyce Cummings, Bessie Mason and Elizabeth Davis.

There will be a Sunday School entertainment at the town hall Friday evening, June 18, at 8 o'clock.

Julius Robinson spent the week end at Boston.

Merle Lang and Fern Tirrell have the chicken pox.

Mrs. Earl Noyes and daughter Denise of Bryant Pond have been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Swan.

Mrs. Mildred Cummings is ill and Mrs. Florence Hewey is assisting with the work there. Miss Joyce Cummings is ill with abscesses in her ears.

Edmund Dorion is home for a few days from the veterans' hospital at Togus.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Conant are living at Norway to be near Mr. Conant's work at the Snocraft.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ring and Priscilla Ring and Mrs. Harry Swan and family were at Norway on business Saturday.

Miss Vada Enman of Rumford is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Robert Cole.

The Beginners' Class of the Sunday School enjoyed a party at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Ruth Ring, Saturday afternoon. Games were played and refreshments were served. Those present were: Marlene Marshall, Kay Dorey, David Stevens, Albert Cross and Blaine Mills. Several members of the class were unable to attend.

Mrs. Donald Bennett and son James Richard returned from the C. M. G. Hospital Monday.

NORTH NEWRY

Miss Hazel Hanscom and Miss Vada Enman were callers at Hartley Hanscom's Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis called at L. E. Wight's Monday evening. Miss Elizabeth Matthews of Malden, Mass., who has spent several days here will return to her home Wednesday.

Miss Delma Ross will visit her mother in Ellsworth for a few weeks.

Among those attending Graduation Exercises at Gould Monday were, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bennett, Mrs. J. B. Vail, Mrs. Lester Lane and daughter, Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight, Mrs. F. W. Wight, Miss Elaine Vail and Francis Vail Jr. Miss Elizabeth Wight and Miss Geneva Lane of Newry were among the 61 graduates.

Daniel Wight was a guest of his parents, Sunday night.

W. W. Brinck is helping L. E. Wight with his farming.

Mrs. H. H. Morton is spending a few days with her daughter Mrs. Ramona Filiault who lives near Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kilgore were in Bethel Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight had supper guests Friday night of last week, Miss Dorothy Smith, Miss Barbara Graves and Miss Elizabeth Wight of Gould Academy.

GROVER HILL

Rodney Waterhouse of Portland and Miss Helen Barnes of Island Pond, Vt., have been guests at Cleve Waterhouse's over the Gould Commencement.

Adrian and Dana Grover of West Bethel were business callers at Mrs. M. F. Tyler's recently.

A. J. Peaslee spent Saturday night at North Bethel with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Emery.

F. A. Mundt visited his daughter, Mrs. Clayton Mills, at Bethel village last Friday.

EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Fred John Jr., of Island Pond, Vt., and Mrs. Eddie Gange of Biddeford Pool were guests of their brother, Richard Houle, at Mrs. Doris Kimball's for several days last week.

Mrs. Mabel Bean, B. W. Kimball, L. D. Kimball and Pierre Thomas were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Howe. Mr. Thomas has been with L. D. Kimball the past two weeks and expects to remain about ten days longer before going to Middlebury, Vt., for the summer where he has charge of the oral French department. His family are at their summer home on Lake Champlain. He has taught at Cornell University the past year.

Victor Robinson has completed his work at S. B. Newton's and is now employed by G. K. Hastings and Sons and living in Eugene Burns' camp.

Mrs. O. B. Farwell, Mrs. Roy Smith, son, Jimmy, and Mrs. John Howe were at Willard Farwell's on Woodstock-Milton road Monday. Mrs. Smith remained for a few days to assist Mrs. Flora Kierstead with the work and care of Mrs. Farwell and little son.

Mrs. Lauri Tamminen and son, David, of Cumberland came Wednesday to spend a week with her sister, Mrs. W. S. Hastings, and family.

Schools closed Friday with picnics. Mrs. Helen Newmark and daughter, Ann, went to their home in Westbrook, Saturday.

O. B. Farwell, Malcolm Farwell and Chester Ladd were at Sawyer Brook a few days the first of the week.

Mrs. Lennie Hutchinson, Mrs. Myrtle Babb and Christine Dorey were in town Saturday. Mrs. Ida Blake went back to Wilton with them where she will visit several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Newton and Caroline Dorey were in Andover Saturday to see Mrs. Newton's brother, Max Cutting, who is home on a furlough from Missouri.

Word was received Tuesday morning of the serious condition of Carl Swan Jr., of Hartford, Conn., as the result of hemorrhages after an operation for the removal of tonsils and also a cyst. Two blood transfusions were given Monday evening and one early Tuesday morning.

A school of instruction for observers was held Monday evening at 7:30 at the High School. Raymond Shaw of South Paris was unable to be there and the meeting was in charge of Mrs. Seymour McAllister. It was expected to give diplomas but they didn't arrive in time.

There are several observers who have already received their arm bands.

An error in the date for Samuel Redman Howard MacKillop, Sherwood Buck, Robert York and Robert Harlow to appear for their examinations will be responsible to their being called later to enter the armed forces instead of this month. Gerald Poland expects to go with them.

Miss Frances Sweetair went to Marblehead Mass., for the summer.

Paul Johnson of Bath is a visitor at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Brown. Harold Brown and niece, Grace Johnson, of Bath are visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Brown.

Mrs. Frank Hayes is gaining from a severe cold.

Miss Geraldine and Carolyn Brown of Greene are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Brown.

Mrs. Edith Sprague plans to spend the summer in Rhode Island.

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SOUTH BETHEL

Blanch Mason and two children called on her mother one day last week.

Joe Leonard called at Frank Brooks' last Thursday, the 10th. It was his 85th birthday.

Mrs. Gus Delano spent Saturday in Norway shopping and returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buckman were in South Paris one day last week.

Pvt. Ronald M. Brooks of the U. S. Army, stationed in Alabama, is home for a few days visiting his father and friends.

Mrs. James Spinney and Florence Hewey were in Norway Saturday and spent the afternoon at Mrs. Clayton Heath's.

Mrs. Florence Hewey has been working a few days for Mrs. Herman Cummings at Locke Mills.

Miss Annie Cross is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Brooks, this week.

Betty Morrill of Mason is working for Mrs. Joe Perry.

Mrs. Chester Wheeler is spending a few days at home.

Mrs. Ada Mills spent the week end at her home here.

Percy Ford is having a short vacation from his work at Newton-Tebbetts and is visiting his family in Dixfield.

Pvt. Christina Onofrio, who has been in the Pacific war zone for the past 18 months, has been calling on friends who are very glad to welcome him back.

Pvt. Joseph Cote left Monday night to return to Camp Hale, Colo., to report for duty. He has been spending a short furlough at the home of Ralph Coulombe and family.

The Farm Bureau held an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Shirley and Lenwood, also Earl McAllister spent Saturday at Fred Hersey's camp at North Waterford.

The Sunday School has commenced in Albany for the summer with Mrs. Sarah Andrews, Mrs. Arline Leighton and Miss Shirley Andrews as teachers.

Mrs. Sarah Andrews was in Norway Wednesday.

Ray Lapham was in Bethel Saturday evening.

Lucien J. Andrews worked at Mrs. Carrie Logan's Saturday.

Mrs. L. J. Andrews visited Mrs. Nancy Andrews at Hunt's Corner Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Andrews, Mrs. Elsie McAllister, Mrs. Annie Bumpus and daughter Ruth and Miss Barbara Stearns attended the Food Food Preservation meeting at the Town House Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Marion and Winifred Skillings visited with Miss Eleanor Kimball Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Captola Knights, South Bethel, called on her grand daughter Mrs. Ethel Childs one day recently.

Mrs. and Mrs. Leslie Kimball were in Berlin, N. H. one day last week on business.

Leslie Kimball had Mr. Skillings shoe his horse Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Eva Barker and three children, Norway, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kimball a few days last week.

Mrs. Arlene Cummings and three children have returned to her stepfather's, Charles Smith, home.

Mrs. Hattie Brown and niece, Grace Johnson, of Bath are visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Brown.

Elmer Saunders was at dinner guest at Hollis Grindell's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jewel and son, Conway, N. H., were at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kimball's Monday.

Albert Skillings shot horses for Chesley Saunders and Grace Carter one day recently.

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CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

MISCELLANEOUS

Cards Money. Make money, Renew dead car
books inexpensively. Instructions \$1 or
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FEATHERS WANTED

WANTED: Goose and duck feathers. New
and old. Mail samples and write for prices.
The P. R. Mitchell Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.

PLANTS FOR SALE

Cactus. Chrysanthemums—pink, white,
red, yellow and bronze. And 10 plants \$1.00
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WANTED

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Great sequoia trees are found
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When "bowels" are sluggish and you
feel irritable, headache, do as millions
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Raining Shrapnel
After antiaircraft guns have
ceased firing at an enemy plane,
shrapnel from their shells may
continue to rain from the sky for
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YOU WOMEN WHO SUFFER FROM HOT FLASHES

If you suffer from hot flashes, dim-
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Out of Sight

Though lost to sight, to memory
dead.—George Linley.

WNU—2 24-43

Watch Your Kidneys!

Help Them Cleanse the Blood
of Harmful Body Waste

Your kidneys are constantly filtering
waste matter from the blood stream. But
kidneys work in their work—do not act as Nature intended, fail to re-
move impurities that, if retained, may
poison the system and upset the whole
body machinery.

Impurities may hang back, causing
pernicious attacks of disease,
getting up nights, causing pain
under the eyes—a feeling of weariness
and loss of pep and strength.

Other signs of kidney or bladder dis-
ease are sometimes burning, scanty or
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There should be no doubt that prompt
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Doans' Pills. Doans' have been winning
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FIT YOUR BUSINESS

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BUSINESS
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Africa at bayonet's length—we've
beaten the crawling Jap at his own
game, jungle fighting.

Long Range View

But still we have those odds which
I (or rather the general) mentioned
when we look at the long range
vista. They are the things which
the general brought up in answer to
the "buts"—I'll name the "buts" in
a second. The point is he showed
me why it can't be done tomorrow—
why we civilians have to be patient.
He showed me what we have to do
before we get over that "ridge."

After tomorrow, we can consider:

The enemy hasn't the initiative the
Americans and British have. When
things don't go according to plan,
they are likely to "burst." We won't.

The enemy has had its best men
in the army a long time—its replace-
ments are not as good as ours will
be.

Much of the enemy-held territory
has a hostile population which will
work with the Allies against the en-
emy when we move in.

Japan and Germany will fall on
critical materials before we will—
we can beat them at their own game
of "ersatz," too; witness synthetic
rubber.

We can manufacture and build
faster because we have more to do
with them than they have. Our home
front is farther away from the battle
front—and it is more in sympathy
with the government, despite, politi-
cal difficulties.

But remember the "buts."

BRIEFS:

Foods are "home canned" says
OPA if: (1) they have been canned in
a kitchen primarily used for the
preparation of meals or to demon-
strate the preparation of meals
(2) they have been canned in a sepa-
rate building or shed which a farm
house has equipped for canning pur-
poses, if the owner has obtained per-
mission from his local ration board
to use such facilities.

In simplifying manufacture of
hand tools for victory gardens, 324
styles of forks have been cut to 76,
styles of rakes have been reduced
from 55 to 8, hoes from 302 to 39,
and hand cultivators from 14 to 8.

A Danish newspaper dispatch re-
ported to the OWI that the Danish
Royal Theatre's performance of
George Gershwin's operetta "Porgy
and Bess" had proved such an
"overwhelming success" that it had
been held over for a special repeat

As to the fighting man. Well,
we've stood up to Hitler's finest in
performance.

Here Comes the Bride



TASTY, NO-SUGAR ALL-BRAN MUFFINS ARE EASILY MADE!

Serve your family these delicious
muffins soon! Their tempting texture
and flavor come from crisp, delicious
KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN. Here's the recipe
for a wartime version, using no sugar.
Try ALL-BRAN Muffins for breakfast
tomorrow!

Kellogg's All-Bran Muffins

2 tablespoons shortening 1/4 cup milk,
1/2 cup corn syrup 1/4 cup flour,
1 egg 1/4 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup Kellogg's 2 1/2 teaspoons
All-Bran baking powder

Cream shortening and corn syrup
thoroughly; add egg and beat well.
Stir in All-Bran and milk; let soak
until most of moisture is taken up.
Sift flour with salt and baking powder;
add to first mixture and stir only
until flour disappears. Fill greased
muffin pans two-thirds full and bake
in moderately hot oven (400° F.)
about 30 minutes. Yield: 8 large muffins,
3 inches in diameter, or 12 small
muffins, 2 1/4 inches in diameter.

SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER



"Squeal 'Gees" (squeezers),
rubber devices used to scour
the decks of vessels, are referred
to in a book written in 1853 on rubber and its uses.

Legislation has been proposed in
Nebraska which would offer a
reward of \$10,000 for the first
company or individual to build a
plant in Nebraska and produce
20,000 tons or more of synthetic
rubber in any twelve-month period.

Why farmers need passenger
car tires: Nine out of every 100 farm passenger
automobiles are used for
"hauling to market," according to The National
Grange.

Henry Shaw

In war or peace

B.F. Goodrich

FIRST IN RUBBER

Shaw

HOUSEWIVES: ★ ★ ★

Your Waste Kitchen Fats
Are Needed for Explosives

TURN 'EM IN! ★ ★ ★

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"take-a-card"

starring ace quiz-master

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OVER YANKEE NETWORK

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Providing the power to produce

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THAT SPREAD DISEASE
KILL 'EM WITH
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STEARN'S ELECTRIC
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AT YOUR DRUGGIST 35¢ & \$1.00

—Buy War Savings Bonds—

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JUST A DASH IN FEATHERS... OR SPREAD ON ROOSTER

SHAVE with SHELBY
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YOU'RE TALKING
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NEW QUIZ SHOW "take-a-card"
starring ace quiz-master **WALLY BUTTERWORTH** for **MINDS HONEY & ALMOND CREAM** OVER YANKEE NETWORK THIS IS MUTUAL

In the Navy a floor is a "deck," doors are "bulkheads," downstairs is "below," and a cigarette is a "Camel." At least, Camel is the favorite cigarette among Navy men, as it is among men in the Army, Marines, and Coast Guard. (Based on actual sales records from service men's stores.) And a carton of Camels is a favorite gift. Though there are now Post Office restrictions on packages to overseas Army men, you can still send Camels to soldiers in the U. S., and to men in the Navy, Marines, and Coast Guard wherever they are.—Adv.

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Star Dust STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO

By VIRGINIA VALE

ON COLUMBIA'S "Appointment in Berlin" set: George Sanders, pretending to be a traitor for his country's sake, is under arrest: the bit player charged with handcuffing him bursts through a door and tries to wrap the steel bracelets around Sanders' wrists. Tries again and again and can't get them to clasp. "You're not putting mittens on a baby!" Director Al Green cries at last. "You act as if you were afraid of hurting Mr. Sanders." The bit player looks sheepish, and Sanders pulls his sleeves back from his bruised and bleeding wrists. "Really, you're being a bit hard on the fellow," says he. "He has tried the other way, you know."

Claire Trevor scored in radio on the "Big Town" series with Edward G. Robinson several years ago, thereby giving her screen career a



CLAIRE TREVOR

boost. Now she's a radio regular again, on the "Mayor of the Town" series Wednesday nights with Lionel Barrymore.

Looks as if Zasu Pitts is making a swell comeback in "Let's Face It," after concluding her run in her play, "Her First Murder." Zasu deserves a good picture, after working in the lamentable one called "Tish."

George Reeves spent four years struggling through small roles in big pictures, hoping for the break that would boost him to the top. He got it, opposite Claudette Colbert in "So Proudly We Hail!"—and was inducted into the army when the picture was finished.

Way, way back Universal decided to follow its hilarious "My Man Godfrey" with "My Girl Godfrey," with Carole Lombard in the title role. Now it's scheduled again, with Deanna Durbin starring, along with Franchot Tone and Pat O'Brien.

Ray Noble, of the Edgar Bergen-Charlie McCarthy air show, is excited over the announcement that Warner Bros. will produce a picture named for Ray's tune, "The Very Thought of You"; he wrote it in 1934, and it's still popular. It will be spotted in the same manner as "As Time Goes By" was spotlighted so successfully in "Casablanca."

ODDS AND ENDS—The house appearing as the birthplace of the hero in "The Story of Dr. Wassell" is really the old barn where C. B. DeMille filmed his first picture three decades ago . . . John Nesbitt reuses his "The Passing Parade" on the air June 29, filling in for 13 weeks for Fibber McGee and Molly . . . Jean Parker offered her St. Bernard to the Army as a war dog, but he was turned down unless he reduces his weight 215 pounds . . . It will be a working vacation for Jackie (Homer) Kelly of "The Aldrich Family" when the serial takes a vacation this summer; he's going to Hollywood to make pictures.

For you to make



Pattern 7504 contains instructions for making slippers in small, medium and large sizes; illustration of stitches; list of materials needed.

Due to an unusually large demand and current war conditions, slightly more time is required in filling orders for a few of the most popular pattern numbers.

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The "SELF-STARTER Breakfast"
Kellogg's CORN FLAKES
The Original K. Kellogg
Kellogg's Corn Flakes are restored to WHOLE GRAIN NUTRITIVE VALUES of Thiamin (Vitamin B1), Nicotin and Iron.

Woman IN THE WAR!
Charlotte Gillam, inspector at General Aircraft Corp.

THE T-ZONE

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The "T-ZONE"—Taste and Threat—is the proving ground for cigarettes. Only your taste and throat can decide which cigarette tastes best to you . . . and how it affects your throat. Based on the experience of millions of smokers, we believe Camels will suit your "T-ZONE" to a "T."

CAMEL

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Let Us Do Your Printing

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THE OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN, BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 1943

Classified Advertising

Twenty-five words or less, one week, 25 cents; second week, 15 cents; each additional week, 10 cents.

Each word more than 25, one cent per word the first week, and one-half cent per word each succeeding week.

FOR SALE

Four Weeks Old Pigs For Sale. EDMUND C. SMITH, Tel. 22-23. 26p

LOST

LOST—On Androscoggin River, a red and black row boat. Wire and chain attached. A home made paddle was in it. Notify EUGENE NORTON, Bethel. 24p

WANTED

WANTED at Eagle Mountain House, Jackson, N. H. Waitresses (\$35 month and bonus and uniforms); bell boys and others. Opening June 25. 21p

MISCELLANEOUS

YARN—We are prepared to make your wool into yarn. Write for prices. Also yarn for sale. H. A. BARTLETT, Harmony, Me. 25p

Will the party who took the coin purse from my desk, Tuesday the eighth, please return and no questions asked. LILLIAN COBURN. 24p

Desirable Apartment—heated in winter—newly painted and papered. H. N. BRAGDON. 24p

BUSINESS CARDS

**E. L. GREENLEAF
OPTOMETRIST**

will be at his rooms over
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SATURDAY, JULY 3

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ATTORNEY AT LAW**
Broad Street
BETHEL, MAINE
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 Cemetery Memorials
 Granite . Marble . Bronze
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Thurs. Evening
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Funeral Home
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DAY AND NIGHT SERVICE

The home of Burdett was
broken and glass of Stanley Davis
was taken.

Mr. Nathan Hause was recently
elected to Corporal. Col. Dan
and Mrs. Hause returned to Nathan
Mass. today from a furlough spent
with Mr. Hause's parents Mr. and
Mrs. Harry Hause.



Lt. HOWARD F. THURSTON,
who is now located at Avon Park,
Fla., since completing training as
navigator at Hondo, Tex.



PVT. NATHANIEL E. BURNS
of East Bethel, recently transferred
from Utah to Sioux City, Iowa

BETHEL

—continued from first page

Mrs. Lloyd Luxton is a patient at the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston. Joseph Holt of Canton was in town to attend the commencement activities.

David Bean of Old Orchard is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bean.

Mrs. Reona Bean of Portland is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Foge.

Sunday School, 10:15 a. m.

Supt. Carleton Lapham.

Friday night at Town Hall S. S.

presents a one-act play and patriotic entertainment to raise money.

It is going to be excellent. Tickets for lighting and heating of church.

25 cents and 15 cents.

Morning Worship at 11:15 a. m.

Special music, Fathers' Day.

Young Men's Orchestra. Mrs. Rowena Dunham in charge of music.

Sermon by Pastor on subject appropriate to the day.

"And when we are done with our life-lasting toys,

Dear Father, take care of thy children, the boys."

Oliver Wendell Holmes

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, June 20

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. This is CHILDREN'S DAY. There will be a program by the Sunday School. The Graduation exercises of the Fourth Grade, a children's choir, and a brief address. There will also be a Baptism Service. Parents and friends especially invited.

The Sunday School children will meet in the Chapel at 10:30.

**METHODIST CHURCH
BETHEL TEMPLE**

M. A. Gordon, pastor
9:45 Church School, Miss Minnie Wilson, supt. Classes for all.
11:00 Sunday Morning Worship

Fathers' Day. Special singing. Mrs. Mildred Lyon, organist. Subject of sermon, "Our Debt to Father."

6:30 Epworth League.

Rachel Gordon, Alice Pierce, Stanley Judkins, and John Greenleaf will attend the Epworth League Institute as delegates June 20 at Lake Cobbscoocook.

Men's Brotherhood meets Tuesday, June 29.

A fool despises his father's instruction; but, he that regardeth reproof is prudent. Prov. 15: 5.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH
Services Sunday morning at 10:45.

Wednesday evening meetings on second Wednesday of each month.

"Is the universe, including man, evolved by atomic force?" is the subject of the Lesson-Service that will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 20.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHAPEL
C. C. Donelson, minister
Church School, 9:45; Fathers' Day Service, 11:00; "Bring Your Bible" Night, 7:30; All Day Hike: Next Saturday.

It is too bad we know so little about Jesus' family. Perhaps we should be ever so grateful for what we do know that the father of Jesus was Joseph. Jesus many times is called the "Son of Jesus" we do know!

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The Gospels inform us, Joseph was the husband of Mary, the father of a family, and a honest country town worker.

It can definitely be said that if Joseph had been an unkind and brutal father, Jesus never would have thought of God so much in the warm parental terms of fatherhood.

Joseph, therefore, must have been a noble man, just as our own human fathers are today!

LOCKE MILLS UNION CHURCH

Pastor Abbie Norton

Sunday School, 10:15 a. m.

Supt. Carleton Lapham.

Friday night at Town Hall S. S.

presents a one-act play and patriotic entertainment to raise money.

It is going to be excellent. Tickets for lighting and heating of church.

25 cents and 15 cents.

Morning Worship at 11:15 a. m.

Special music, Fathers' Day.

Young Men's Orchestra. Mrs. Rowena Dunham in charge of music.

Sermon by Pastor on subject appropriate to the day.

"And when we are done with our life-lasting toys,

Dear Father, take care of thy children, the boys."

Oliver Wendell Holmes

BORN

In Lewiston, June 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Van Den Kerehoven of Bethel, a son.

June 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Frazer of Upton, a son.

MARRIED

In Norway, June 16, by Rev. J. Francis Brady, Pvt. Robert Kendall of Fort Benning, Ga., and Miss Ella Durrell of South Paris.

In Bethel, June 16, by Rev. M. A. Gordon, Pvt. Donald Chretien and Miss Violet Brooks of Bethel.

DIED

In Lewiston, June 16, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Van Den Kerehoven.

He Winfield Wight and son Win-

field of Thomaston Conn. and Dr. and Mrs. Chris Neuwanger and daughter Christine of Middlebury Conn. were in town for the com-

mencement week end.

A special meeting of Sunbeam Ro-

bethel Lodge was held Wednesday evening. The program was the of-

fice work of Mrs. Eliza Green-

Wicks of the Rotarian Auxiliary

of Maine. The program was conducted by Mrs. Anna Hart, "D. D. P. and

Mrs. Helen Brooks, D. D. M. of

Rotary. The D. D. P. Chapter of Rotar-

ians, which has the Rotarian Club

as its base, and the Rotarian Club